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Poultry Programs

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CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 008, ANNOUNCEMENT  
PY-234

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell chicken and chicken products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Sept. 11. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Sept. 15. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 16 to Oct. 31.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-234, Appendix-1, the applicable Commodity Specification, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, P.O. Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>. The Electronic Bid Entry System is available for submitting offers at <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-234, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Cut-up (221240) - Frozen cut-up chickens, 8 pieces, without necks and giblets. Cut-up chickens must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in a minimum of four plastic-film bags and packed 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,000 containers per purchase unit totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Cooked (221530) - Frozen cooked batter/breaded cut-up chickens, 8 pieces. The cooked chicken parts must be produced from ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens which weigh 2.50 to 3 pounds (1.13 to 1.36 kg) without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packaged or packed in a minimum of three plastic-film bags or layers, respectively, and packed 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight in each fiberboard shipping container, with 1,300 containers per purchase unit totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

Bulk Pack, Small (221690) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is 2.50 to 3.75 pounds (1.13 to 1.70 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Bulk Pack, Large (222590) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled ready-to-cook broiler/fryer chickens without necks and giblets. Frozen may be specified. The weight range for an individual chicken is over 3.75 to 7 pounds (1.70 to 3.18 kg), without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required by the Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 1999. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT: PY234  
INVITATION : 008  
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 12 CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/00 - 10/31/00

001	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
002	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
003	HOLLEY	NY		40,000
004	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
005	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
006	MIAMI	FL		40,000
007	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
008	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
009	DOUGLASVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	KENNESAW	GA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
010	JACKSON	MS		40,000
011	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	10,440
	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	29,560
012	LITTLE ROCK	AR		40,000
013	EL PASO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
014	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
015	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
016	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
017	SACRAMENTO	CA		40,000
018	SUMTER	SC		40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 840,000

COMM TYPE : 15 CHICKEN, BREADED COOKED FZN CP  
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CONTAINER

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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/00 - 10/31/00

019	EAST HARTFORD	CT	TRUCK ONLY	117,000
020	WINTERPORT	ME	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
021	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	WINTERPORT	ME	TRUCK ONLY	19,500

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022	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
023	GUILDERLAND CTR	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	MARCY	NY	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
024	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	19,500
025	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
026	LINCOLN	RI	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
027	LARGO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	39,000
028	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	26,676
	MAGEE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	12,324
029	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	78,000
030	GRANITE CITY	IL		78,000
031	BISMARCK	ND	TRUCK ONLY	39,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 663,000

COMM TYPE : 16 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM

PACK SIZE : 90 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/00 - 10/31/00

032	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	252,000
033	PINE BLUFF	AR	TRUCK ONLY	72,000
034	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	504,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 828,000

ANNOUNCEMENT: PY234

INVITATION : 008

COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 25 CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG

PACK SIZE : 90 3 3/4 - 7 LB BULK PACK

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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/00 - 10/31/00

035	BOAZ	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,404,000
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036	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	540,000
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037	NEW HOLLAND	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,116,000
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038	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	108,000
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 3,168,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 5,499,000

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Contracting Officer

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